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MEXICO.

Report from Vera Cruz.

VERA CRUZ, MEXICO, June 16, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report for the week ended June 16: Cases of yellow fever, 26; deaths from yellow fever, 15. Cases of smallpox, 7; deaths from smallpox, 5. During the week I have inspected 8 vessels and signed the bills of health. I issued 126 certificates to passengers for United States and Cuban ports; 331 passengers left here for United States, Cuban, and European ports, via New York and Havana. Mr. Tanner, the gentleman who was sent ashore from the *Orizaba* on the 8th, died on the 13th from yellow fever. With the exception that yellow fever is growing progressively worse, there is nothing else to report.

Respectfully,

SAML. H. HODGSON,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NETHERLANDS.

Report from Rotterdam.

ROTTERDAM, NETHERLANDS, June 12, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the transactions of the Service at this station for the week ended June 9, 1900: Four vessels were inspected and received bills of health. The steamship *Rotterdam*, of the Holland-American Line, sailed for New York on the 7th instant, carrying 56 cabin and 628 steerage passengers. One hundred and ninety-eight pieces of baggage were inspected and 44 disinfected and labeled.

Respectfully,

A. R. THOMAS,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NICARAGUA.

Report from Bluefields—Fruit port.

BLUEFIELDS, NICARAGUA, June 14, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following weekly report: Three steamships, the *Sulda*, *Fulton*, and *Hiram*, left for New Orleans carrying 3 passengers and 7 pieces of baggage. One steamship, the *Jno. Wilson*, left for Mobile with no passengers. These ships were inspected and baggage disinfected; copies of certificates are herewith inclosed, also one for the brigantine *F. Schepp*, which cleared for New York via Corn Island and Colon.

Only 1 death occurred in Bluefields this week—a native child of anæmia.

The sanitary conditions of this port and vicinity are very good.

Respectfully,

D. W. GOODMAN,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.